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Ladies' Cloaks AND Men's Overcoats

We will make a quick sale price on all overcoats and cloaks in our complete stock as we do not want to carry over anything in these lines. Prices good until February 15, 1916.

Ladies' and Children's Cloaks

Regular \$12.50 cloaks going at	\$7.50
Regular 10.00 cloaks going at	6.50
Regular 7.50 cloaks going at	5.50
Regular 5.50 cloaks going at	3.75
Regular 5.00 cloaks going at	3.50
Regular 3.50 cloaks going at	2.50

Men's and Boys' Overcoats

\$18.00 overcoats going at	\$13.50
15.00 overcoats going at	10.00
12.50 overcoats going at	8.50
10.00 overcoats going at	7.50
6.00 overcoats going at	4.00
4.00 overcoats going at	2.75
2.50 overcoats going at	1.75

We want your Cream, Butter, Eggs, Poultry and pay the highest market prices for them.

R. L. Roberts & Son

JASPER, MISSOURI



The News office furnished the sale printing for the following sales this week:

Wednesday, February 2.—Mrs. Henrietta F. Watt is advertising a public sale at her present home 8 miles west and 2 miles north of Jasper, at which time she will sell 7 horses and mules, 12 head of cattle, 4 hogs, a lot of corn, oats, fodder, implements, furniture, etc.

Surprise on Mrs. Arthur Teeter.

A surprise party was given on Mrs. Arthur Teeter in honor of her birthday anniversary, January 21.

The evening was enjoyed by all with music and games until a late hour, when dainty refreshments were served to the following:

Messers and Mesdames—
Frank Rice
W. H. Woods
J. W. Black
H. J. Deardorff
J. N. Marsh
E. L. Crawford
Misses Oma Webb and Pearl Cunning

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

JASPER, MISSOURI

Member Federal Reserve
Postal Savings Depository

Join Our Christmas Savings Club

COMMERCIAL CLUB MEETING

Election of Officers Postponed to To-night's (Thursday) Meeting.

The Commercial Club meeting last Thursday night was again marked by the enthusiasm of those present, and there was quite a good crowd, but the almost continual rain during the evening, and illness in some cases, kept several away whose presence was very much desired. On account of the absence of these the election of officers and executive board was postponed until tonight when a full house is expected.

The question of dues is still under discussion and is rapidly being adjusted to the satisfaction of all as the advantages of the club to merchants and other citizens is made plain. The most equitable solution of the dues question seems to be that business houses and firms pay according to the volume of business done, and the committee to report plan of organization recommended that the banks pay \$10 a month, the largest stores and elevators \$5.00 a month, and others graded accordingly. The banks and most of the business houses readily agreed to the plan.

It is being shown that the credit system to be adopted will alone much more than pay the dues for every merchant member of the club. It must be plainly understood that a fair credit system such as is being considered will be an advantage and not a hardship to any person who meets his obligations. The credit rating of any man listed on the club's books will not at all depend on whether he is rich or poor, but simply on the proposition "Does he meet his obligations?" Of course, if misfortune overtakes a man, that, too, will be noted. Naturally, everybody wants a good rating and the moral influence of such a system will be worth much to the community. Business men and others will do well to see the committee and have this plan explained to them.

The Commercial Club will be, if properly supported, financially and otherwise, the most helpful institution Jasper has ever known.

Come to the meeting tonight, Thursday, January 27.

Birthday Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. McCune entertained at a dinner party last Wednesday 1. M. McCune and family of Medicine Lake, Mont., C. L. McCune of Redstone, Mont., Wm. McCune of Riverton, Kans., and Miss Gertrude Martin of St. Louis.

The dinner celebrated the birthdays of Mrs. L. T. McCune, Mrs. I. M. McCune, C. L. McCune, Wm. McCune and Miss Martin all of which occurred during the week. The occasion was a highly enjoyable one to all.

The visitors, except C. L. McCune, departed for their several homes Thursday. The latter left Tuesday of this week.

Epworth League Musical.

The Epworth League of the M. E. Church will give a musical Tuesday evening, February 1, at the church. This is the entertainment that was postponed from last week. The following program is being prepared:

Music by Orchestra
Instrumental solo.....Marie Whitesel
Violin solo.....Bertha Jackson
Reading.....Mr. Wells
Instrumental solo.....Miss Brooks
Vocal solo.....Mrs. Peterson
Trombone solo.....Roy Bowers
Piano solo.....Oma Webb
Character solo.....Lida Drake
Vocal solo.....Bessie Martin
Instrumental solo.....Mendel Drake
Trio, Misses Cora, Jessie and Bessie Martin

Ladies quartette
Pantomime.....Mabel Harris
The admission price will be small and the proceeds are to be used for league and church purposes, and the young folks should be greeted by a large audience. The program will be a most interesting one.

Advertised Letters

Ohrmundt, A. C.
Martin, Mr. B. W.
Smith, Mrs. Sarah, E. (2)
Estes, Mrs. Maude,
Compton, Mr. J.
Williams, Lester
Fenner, Mr. Roy

T. B. Hardaway, Postmaster.

Taka Club Entertains.

Mesdames W. H. Woods, Chas. Ward, George Jackson and C. E. Teeter delightfully entertained the ladies of the Taka Embroidery Club Wednesday January 19, at the home of the latter.

The Teeter home was beautifully decorated with potted plants and bouquets of pink and white carnations.

The early part of the afternoon was spent at a unique guessing contest on parts of a watch at which Mrs. T. B. Hardaway caused much amusement, after which the time was passed with progressive ruck.

About four o'clock a bounteous three-course luncheon was charmingly served in a most dignified manner by the hostess. The invited guests were:

Mesdames:—
Bert Ward
Roy Avery
Rachel Hackett
Chas. Leiss of Beatrice, Nebr.

Mrs. Dorcas Earp Passes Away.

Mrs. Dorcas Earp, aged mother of Mrs. J. D. Harbur, passed away Monday afternoon at the home of a daughter, Mrs. J. W. Robinson, at Chetopa, Kansas. Mrs. Earp was 90 years old the 18th instant. She had spent considerable time with Mrs. Harbur in Jasper the past few years, and her death will bring sorrow to her acquaintances here.

The funeral took place at Sheldon yesterday.

Mrs. Earp is survived by four daughters and four sons, as follows: J. M. Earp of Lamar, W. M. Earp of Nevada, Walter Earp of Kenoma, George W. Earp of Wichita, Kans., Mrs. J. W. Robinson of Chetopa, Kans., Mrs. J. D. Harbur of Jasper and two other daughters at Sheldon.

The Weather.

Following the heavy freeze with temperature hovering on the lower side of zero the early part of last week, an all night rain fell last Thursday night, melting the snow and ice in a hurry and leaving the earth decidedly spongy. The rain was accompanied by thunder and lightning. The creeks were all so high that even the bridges could not be used Friday and but two out of the five rural carriers completed their routes on that day. Conditions were some better the next day but the roads were very badly cut up and soft.

Saturday, Sunday and Monday the sun shone warm and bright and the wind helped to dry things out considerably. Tuesday was cloudy and threatening and yesterday, up to time of going to press the temperature was about 48 above, the atmosphere misty and rain falling intermittently.

Mr. and Mrs. Teeter Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Teeter served six o'clock dinner in a most royal way Wednesday afternoon of last week to the following:

Messers and Mesdames and families—
W. H. Woods
Chas. Ward
George Jackson

Ed Cordz to Toledo, Ohio.

Edwin Cordz left Tuesday night for Toledo, Ohio, where he has secured a position with the Guardian Loan and Trust Co. Ed has the best wishes of a host of friends.

GIANTS WIN ANOTHER.

Good Game at Galena, Kans., Last Friday Night

The Jasper Giants journeyed to Galena last Friday night and won their game with the Galena team. This is the second game with Galena this winter, Jasper winning each time by four points. The score this time was 26 to 22, the previous game being 37 to 41. At the close of the first half it looked like a walkaway for the Giants, the score being 14 to 4. The last half told a different story, the Kansas boys hitting their stride and Bowers, center for the Giants, being put out of the game by an injury two or three minutes before the finish.

The Jasper lineup was—Owings and Rue Webb, forwards; Bowers, center; Glen Buzzard and Frank Steiner, guards.

Captain Steiner informs The News that the Giants will have another try at the Mulberry Giants Friday night of this week. These Mulberry boys have one of the best teams in this section Missouri and Kansas. The Jasper boys went to Mulberry some time ago with a crippled and patched-up team and were badly beaten, but they expect to redeem themselves this time.

The Giants will play the Joplin All Stars on the Jasper court next Wednesday night. This Joplin team have a good record.

Alpha Club Meeting.

Mrs. J. W. Black royally entertained members of the Alpha Club and several friends Tuesday afternoon. The time was spent on the study of "The English House of Commons," and the "Ladies Quartette" composed of Mrs. Allen Petterson, Miss Grace Teeter and the Misses Mary and Lida Drake favored the audience with a couple of selections. Miss Lida Drake rendered a piano solo. Mrs. Arthur Teeter gave a very pleasing reading. An elaborate lunch was served by the hostess assisted by Mesdames Frank Rice, J. N. Marsh, A. C. Crandall and Little Mary Louise Rice.

The guests of the club were Mesdames J. N. Marsh, A. C. Crandall, Allen Petterson and the Misses Grace Teeter Mary and Lida Drake, Mary Louise Rice and Master Paul Sharp. Club meets next week with Mrs. Sharp.—Club reporter.

Just Out of Woodpeckers.

A lady phoned Carr & Horton for a chicken for dinner the other day. She said to Bob Horton, who answered the phone: "I want a nice, young, fat hen with a red head." Bob scratched his head and answered politely: "Lady, we haven't got a woodpecker in the house, but maybe we will get some in this afternoon. I'll call you if we do."

Mrs. L. H. Owen Sells Home.

Mrs. L. H. Owen sold her home on East Grand avenue last week to Mrs. S. R. Raney of Golden City. Mrs. Raney is mother of Mrs. Dora Smith and Mrs. T. H. Hammond. She will come to Jasper at once.

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